UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

KEENAN R. ELLSBERRY,

Plaintiff, CIVIL ACTION NO. 12-10934

v. DISTRICT JUDGE GERALD E. ROSEN

CITY OF DETROIT, MAGISTRATE JUDGE MARK A. RANDON BRIAN TERECHENOK, WILLIAM ZEOLLA, JUSTIN LYONS, OFFICER KILE, AND JAMES AUDE,

Defendants.

ORDER GRANTING IN PART DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW (DKT. NO. 46) AND GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO ENFORCE ORDER (DKT. NO. 57)

This matter is before the Court on two motions: (1) Defendants' Motion for Leave to Withdraw as Counsel for Defendants Brian Terechenok, Justin Lyons, and William Zeolla and Protective Order to Stay Civil Proceedings (Dkt. No. 46); and (2) Plaintiff's Motion to Enforce Order (Dkt. No. 57). Oral argument was heard on January 8, 2013. For the reasons stated on the record, the Court finds as follows:

- (1) Defendants' request for permission to withdraw as counsel for Terechenok, Lyons, and Zeolla is **GRANTED**. Defense counsel will remain counsel of record for 60 days or, until the Detroit City Council disapproves representation (whichever occurs first).
- (2) Defendants' request for a stay is **DENIED**. However, Plaintiff may not depose Terechenok, Lyons, or Zeolla for 60 days. During this 60 day period, Terechenok, Lyons, and Zeolla must attempt to secure new counsel. If they cannot obtain new counsel, these Defendants must proceed *pro se* until they do so. Discovery on the remaining Defendants will proceed.
- (3) Plaintiff's request for the "Investigators Report" is **GRANTED**. Defendants did not object to the Court providing Plaintiff a copy of the documents they

previously provided *in camera*; therefore, the Court provided a copy of these documents on January 8, 2013.

IT IS ORDERED.

s/Mark A. Randon
MARK A. RANDON
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Dated: January 9, 2013

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<u>s/Melody R. Miles</u> Case Manager to Magistrate Judge Mark A. Randon

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